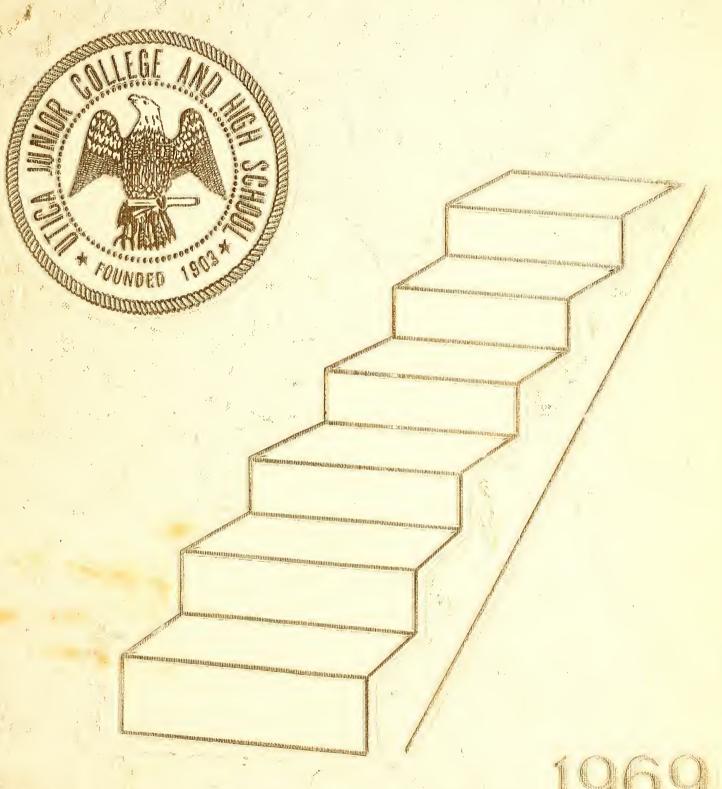
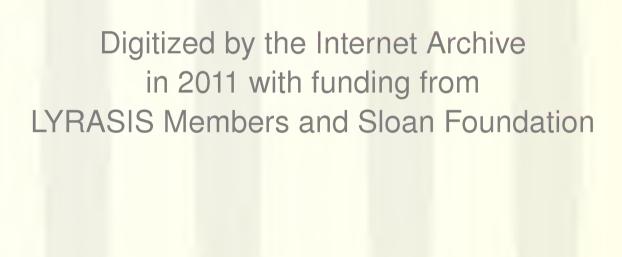
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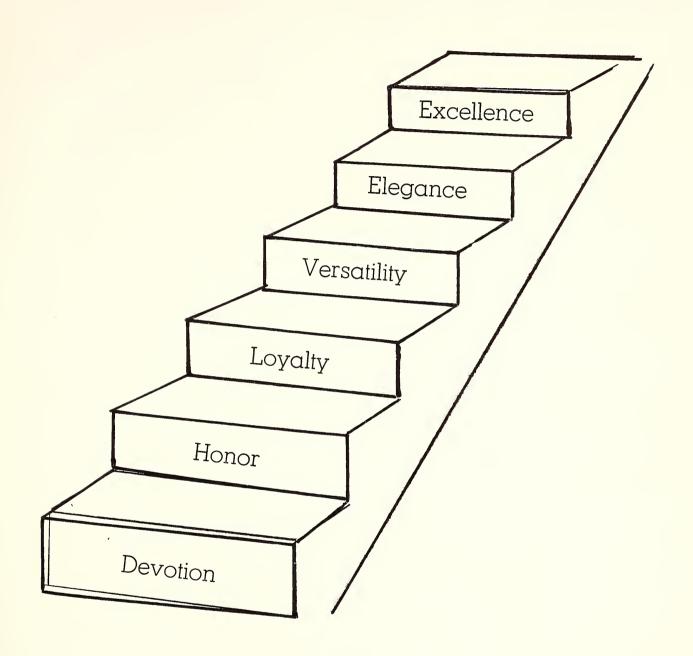


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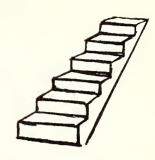








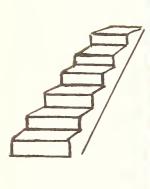


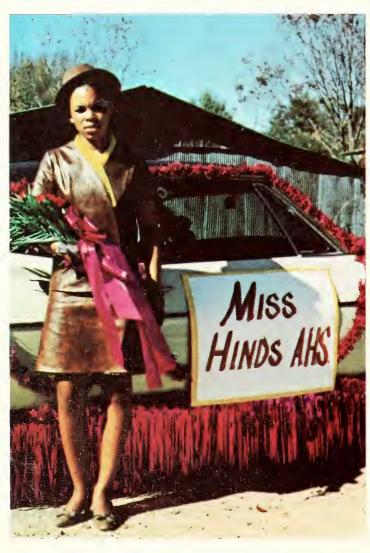




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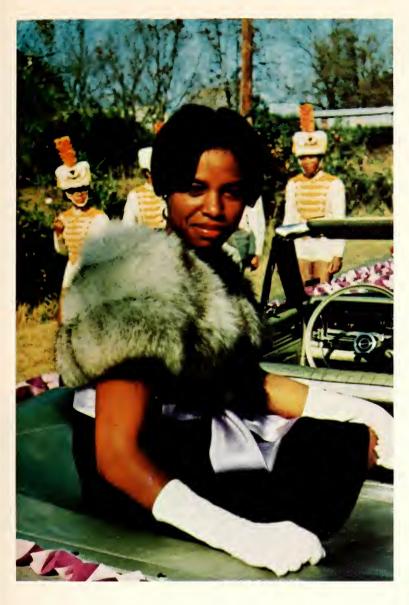


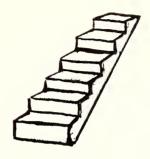
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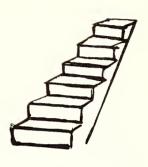
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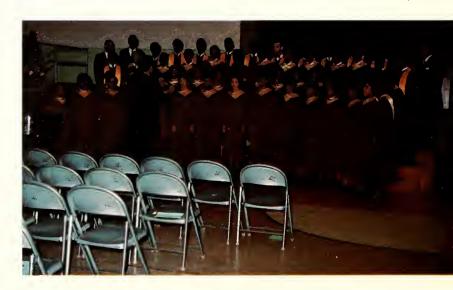




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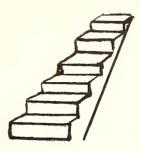






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As we toil once more on the publication of the UTICANITE, we are reminded of one who was a sincere worker, untiring at every task, brimming with confidence and capability, enthusiastic and sincere in the preparation of the subjects she taught and in her assignment as Sponsor of the 1968 UTICANITE. She used her full potential to be creative and to stimulate the students with whom she came in contact. She played well the part she was to play in whatever role she assumed.

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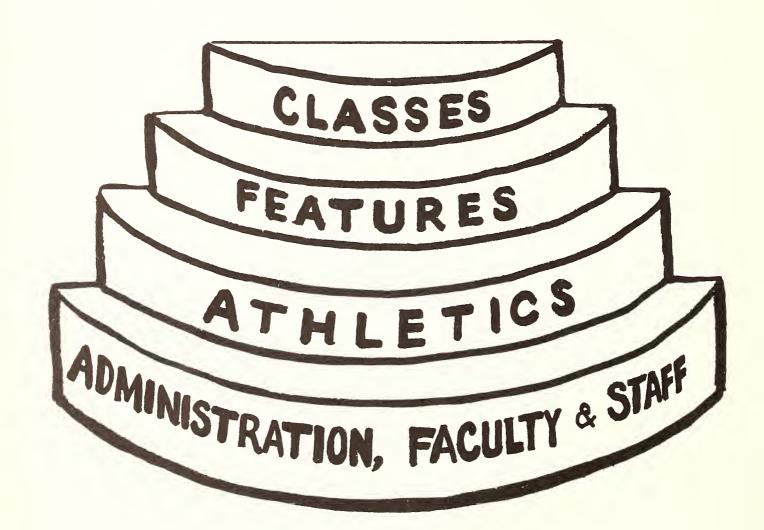
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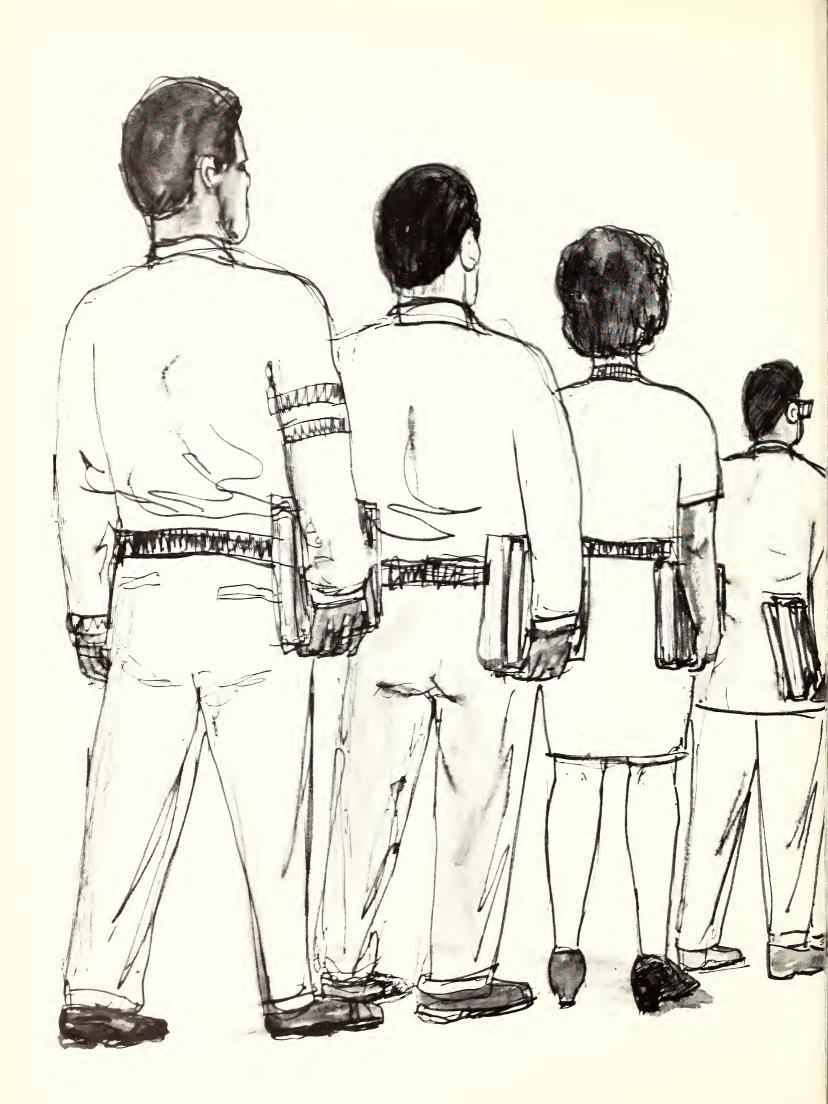


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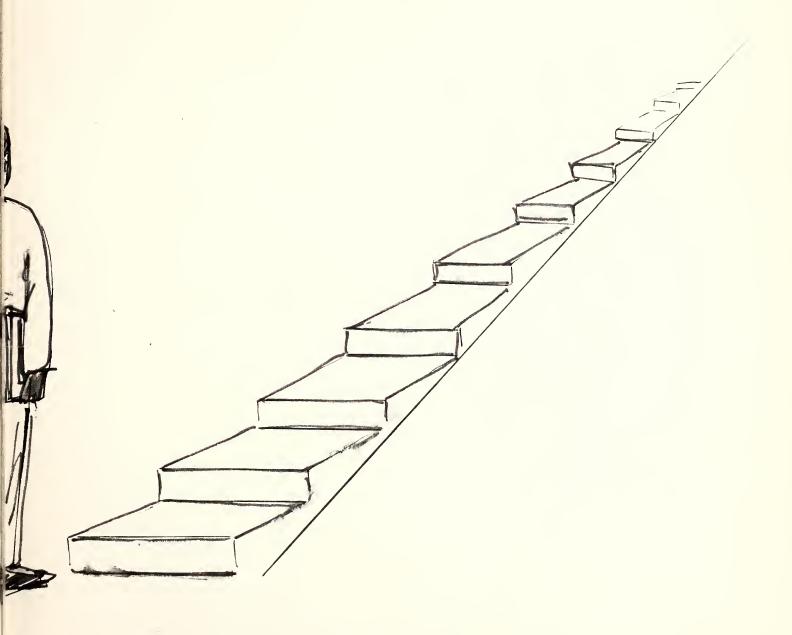
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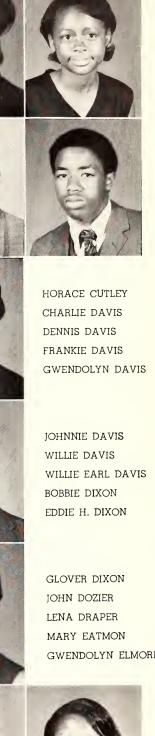
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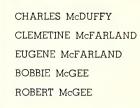












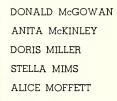














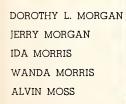


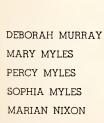






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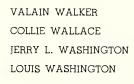
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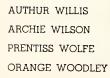








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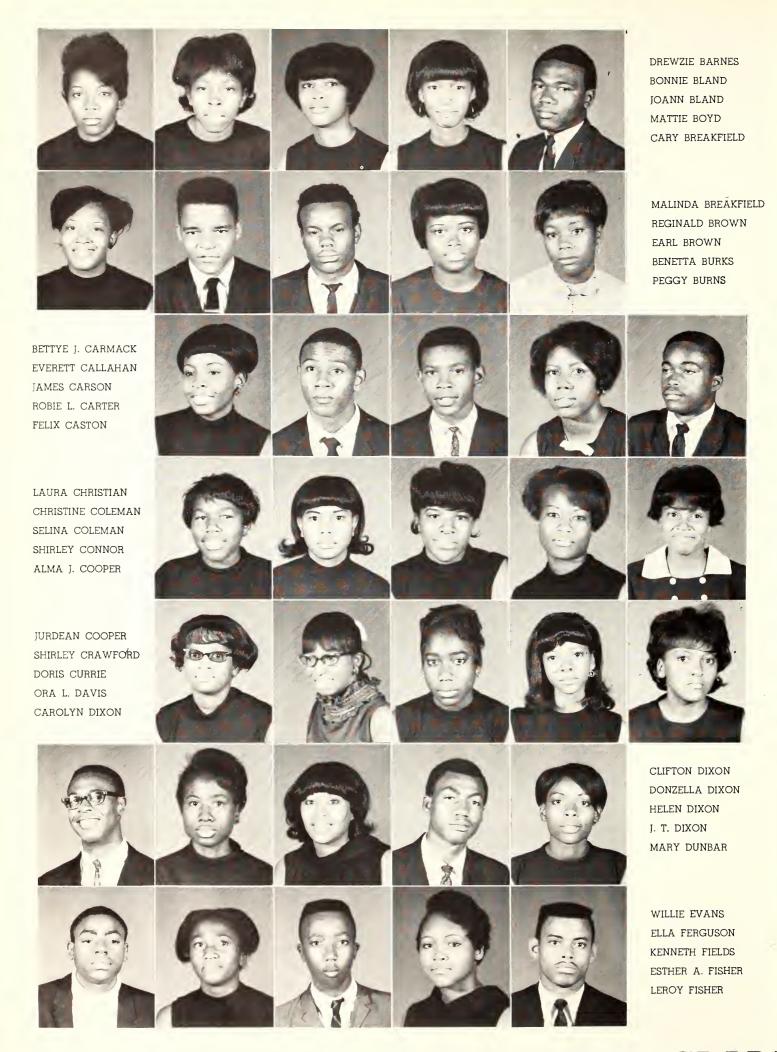


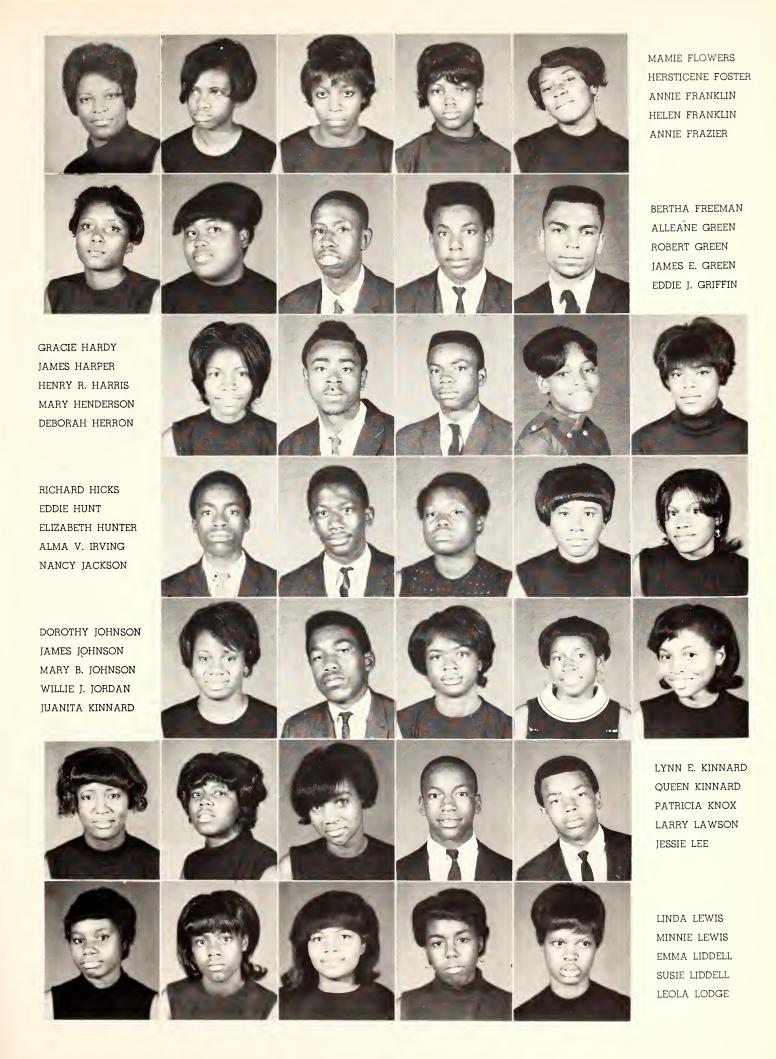


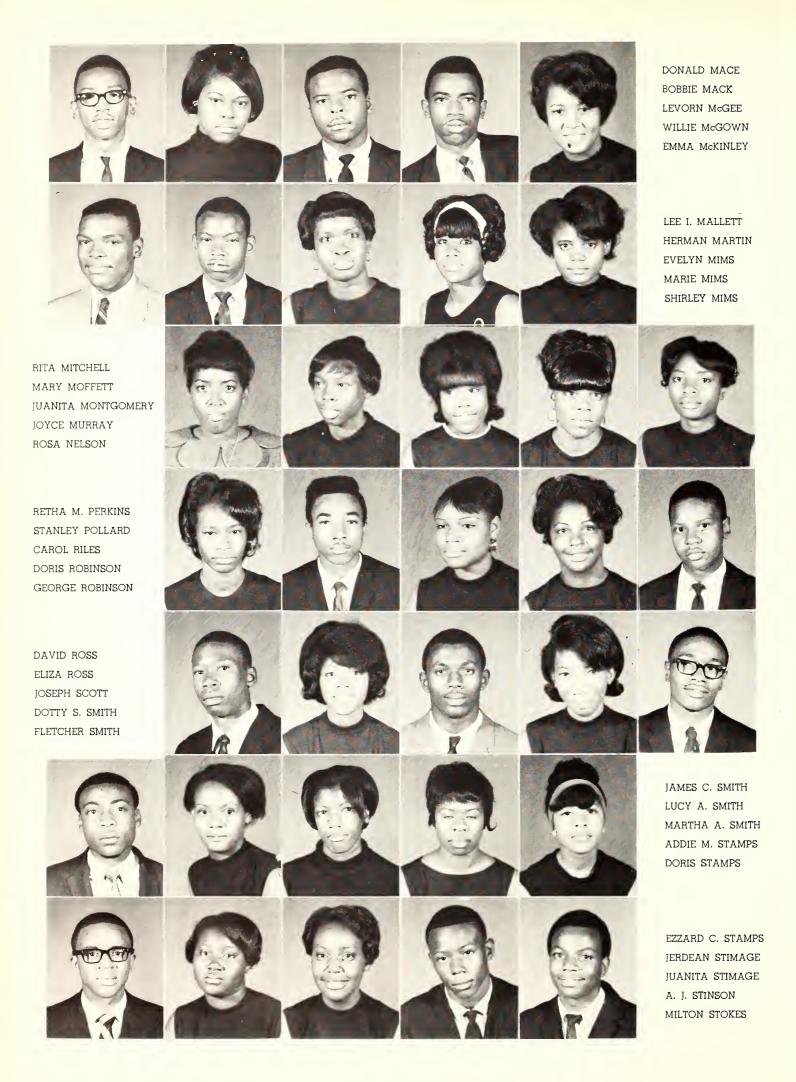












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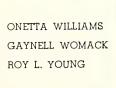
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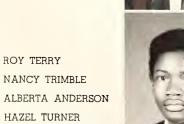




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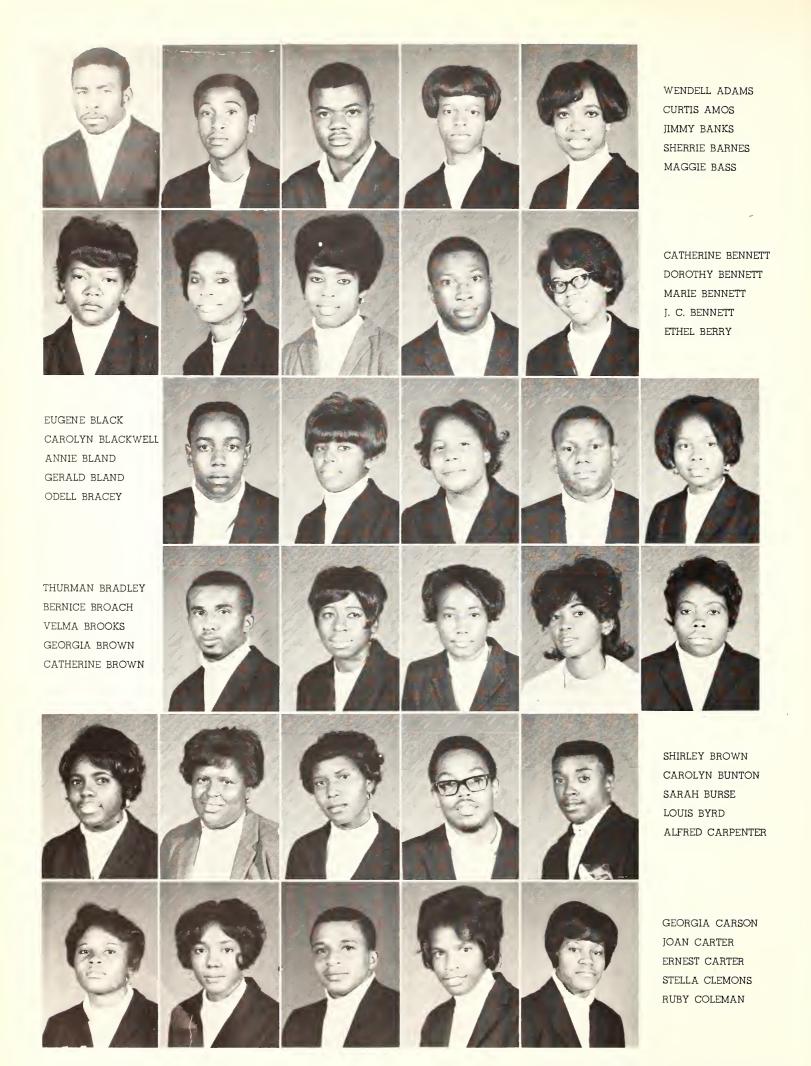


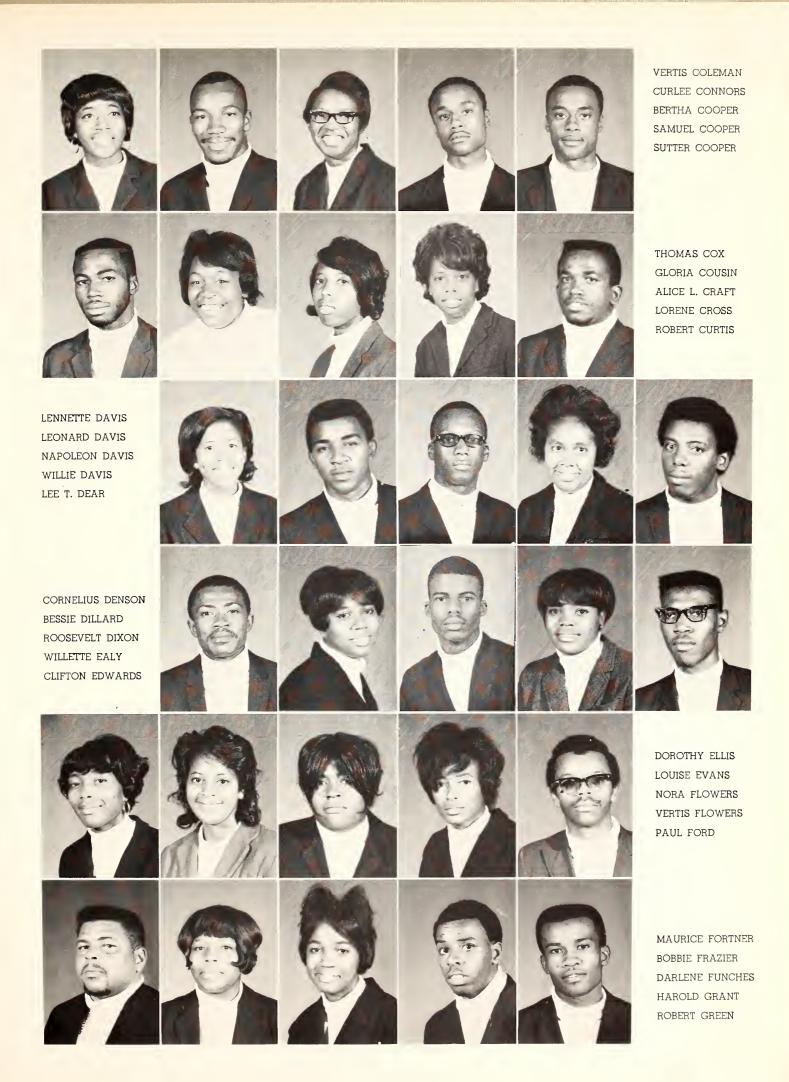


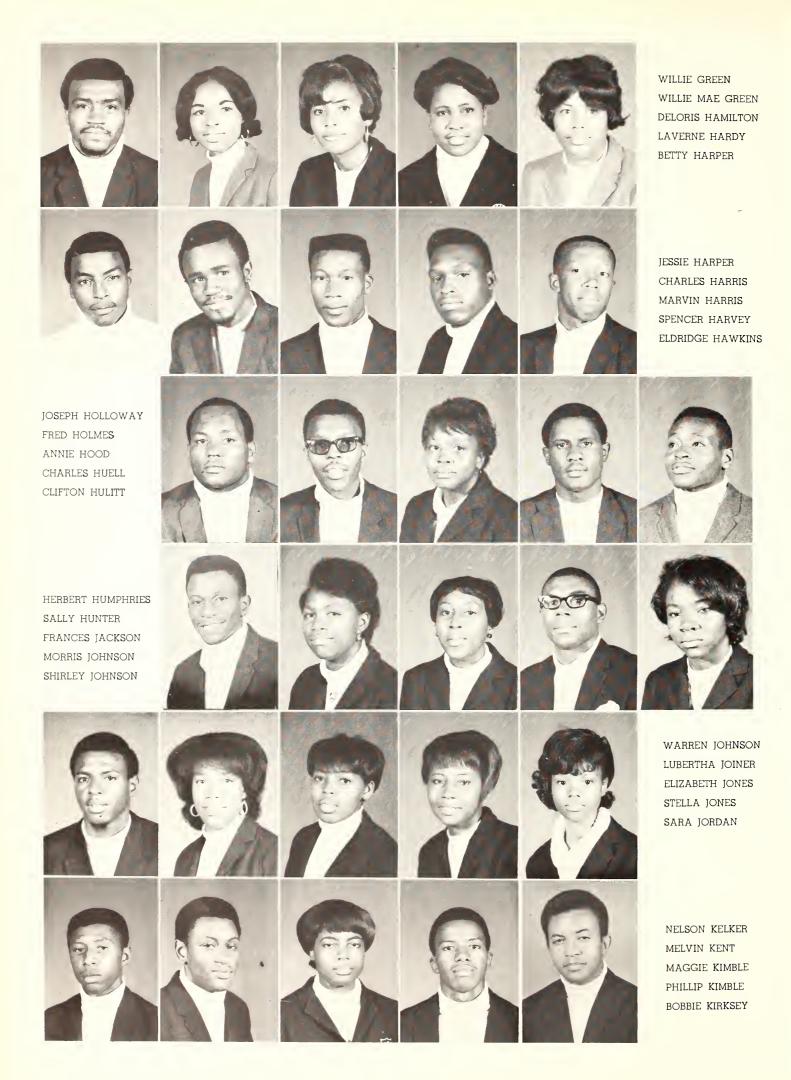
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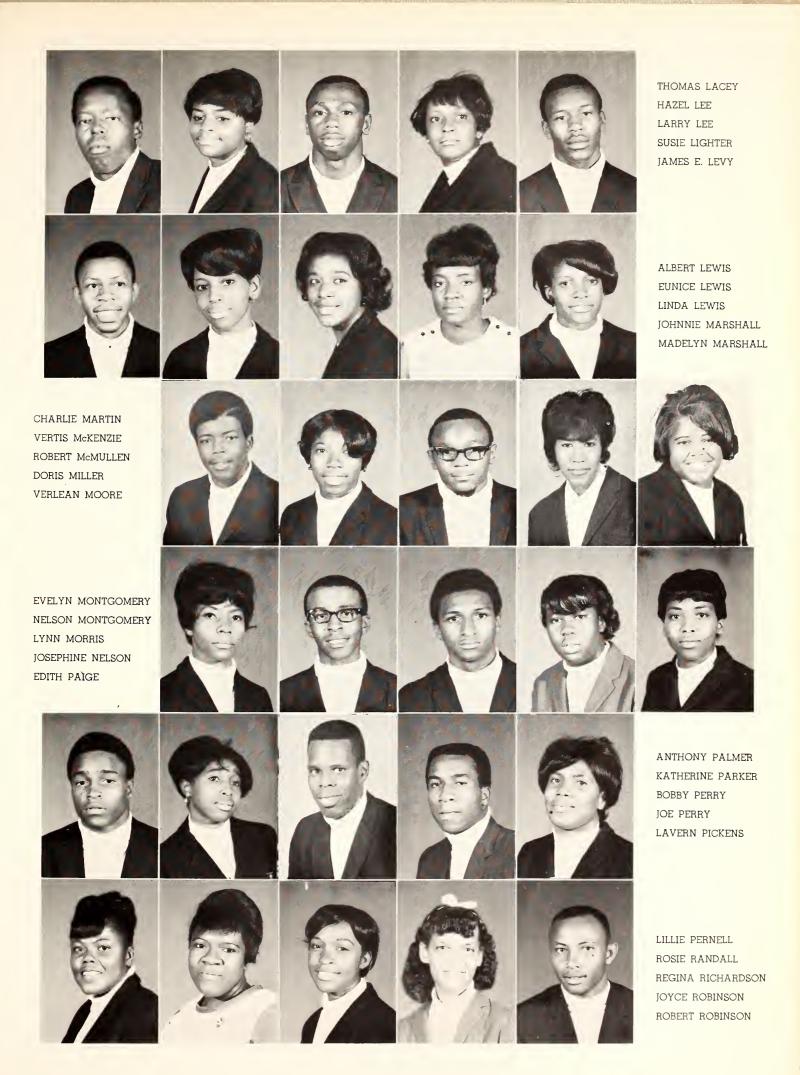


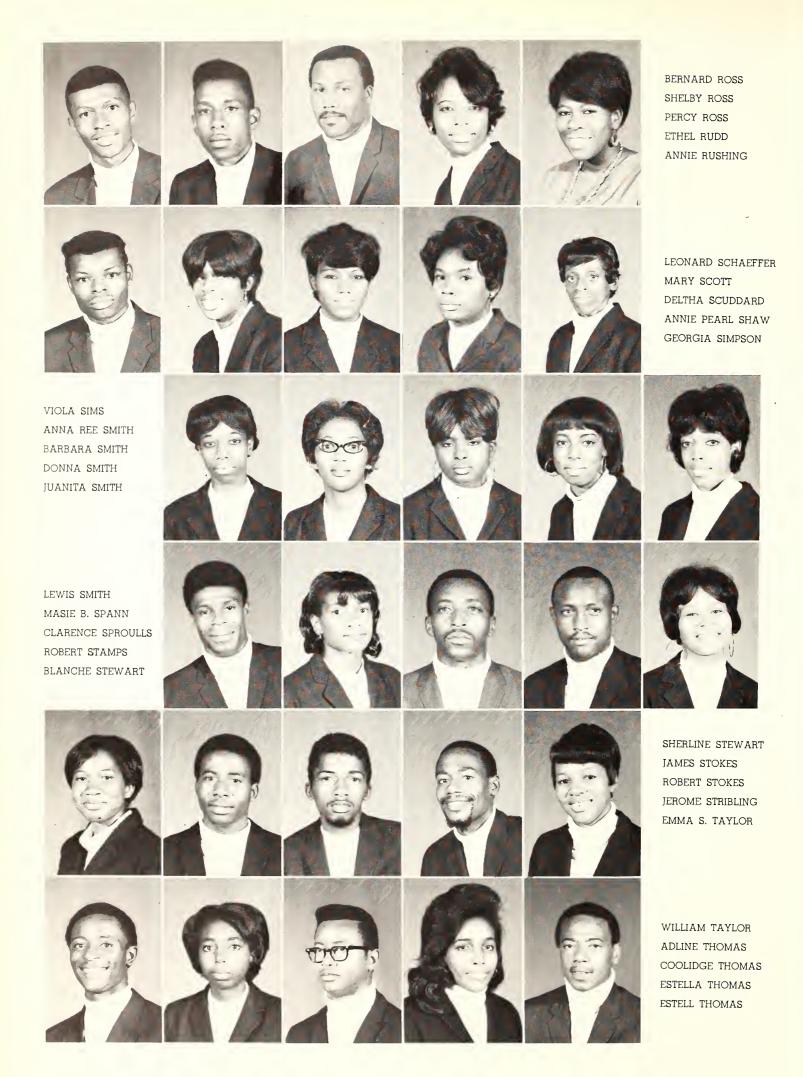


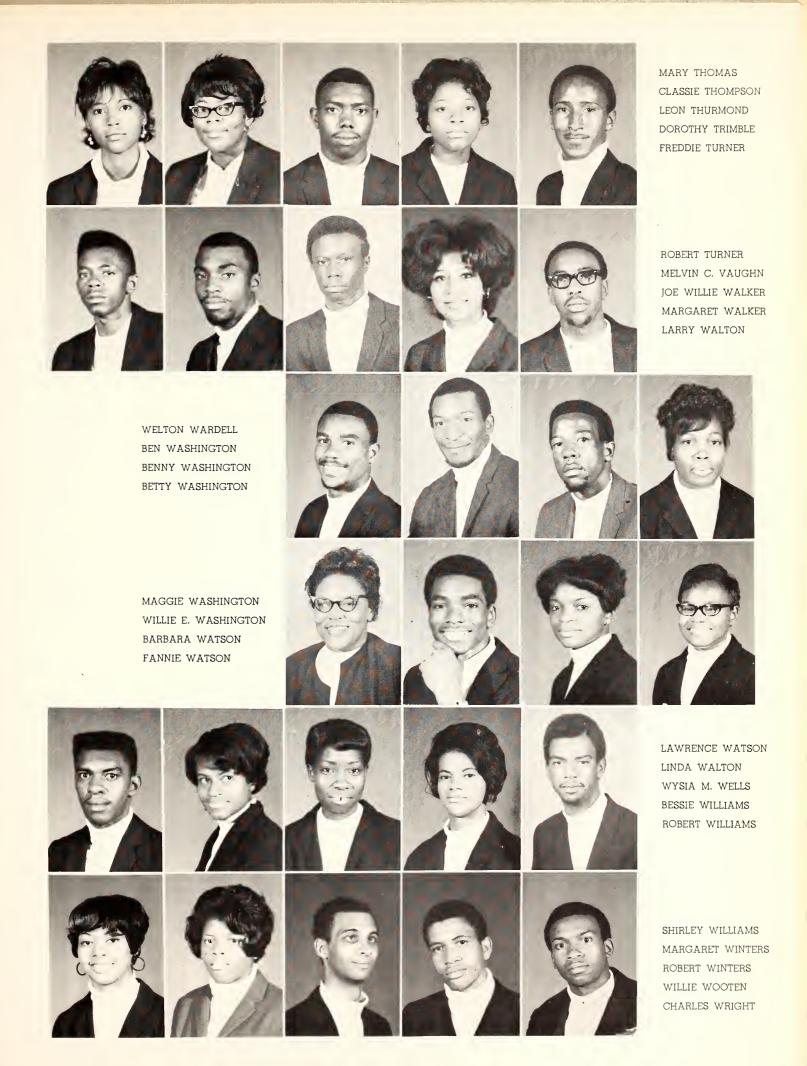












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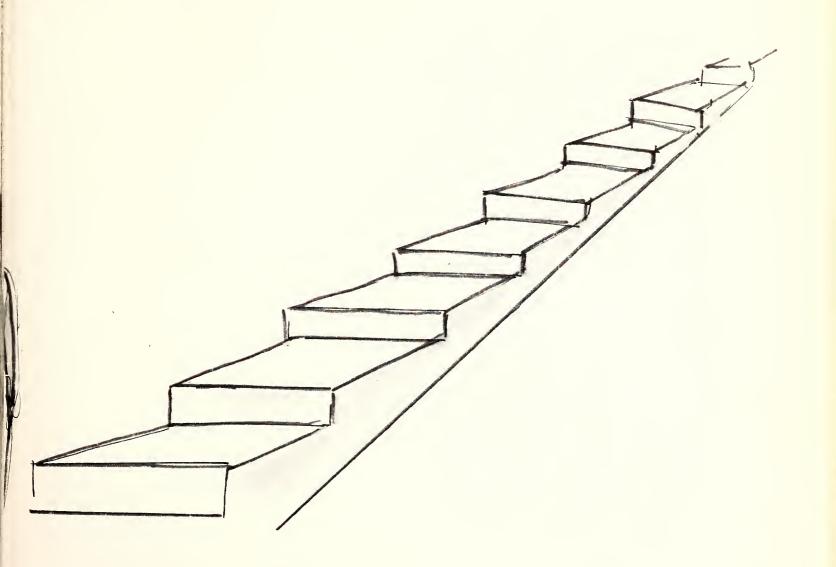
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Seated: Deborah Murray, Gwendolyn Elmore, Elizabeth Hunter. Standing: Ora Davis, Queen E. Kınnard, Emma Liddell, Joyce Middleton.



ART CLUB Seated: Velma Owens, Delores Henderson. Standing: Shirley Sampson.



PUBLICATION CLUB

Seated: Betty Williams, Daisy Kelker, Canary Floyd. Standing: Gloria Liddell, Lottie Coleman,
Mattie Johnson, Belinda Gettis.



DANCE TROUPE

Seated: Yvonne Caston, Princess Martin, Willie J. Howard, S'anding: Cora Jackson.



READING CLUB

Seated: James Johnson, Roy Terry, Katie Green. S'anding:
Laura Lighter, Gloría Collins.



PHYSICAL EDUCATION CLUB

Seated: Debra Murray, Yvonne Caston, Shirley Connors, Ora Davis. Standing: Annie Turner,
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OBSERVANCE OF NEGRO HISTORY WEEK



CHANGING the AFRO-AMERICAN IMAGE THROUGH HISTORY

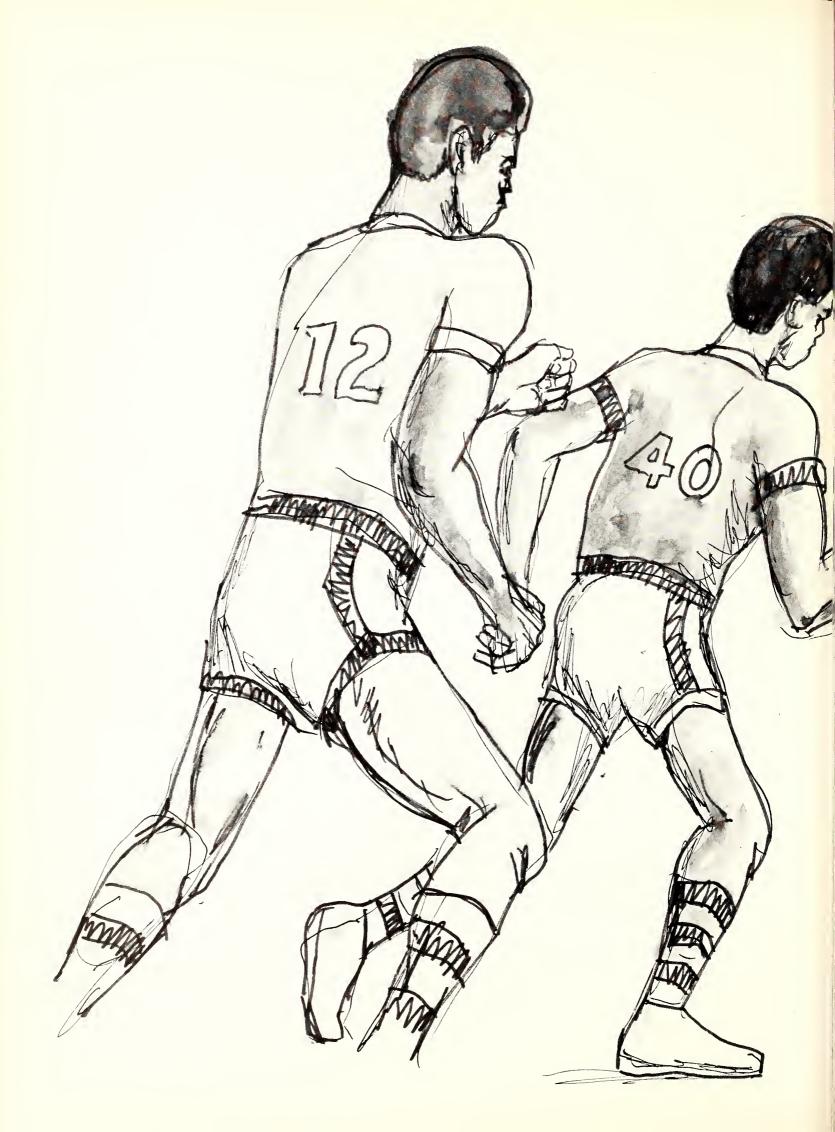


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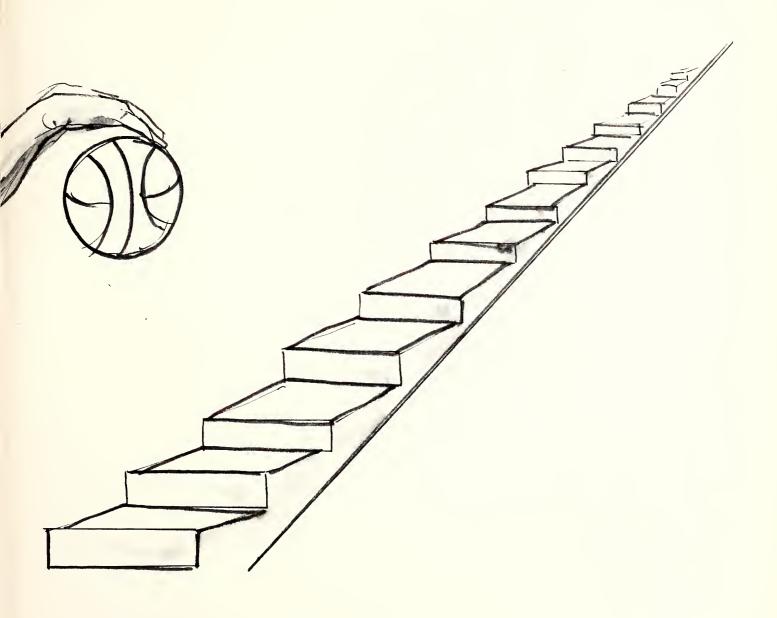


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VERSATILITY



HINDS COUNTY A.H.S. BULLPUPS

Bullpups		Opponents		
42	Lanier	85		
92	New Hymn	64		
84	Piney Woods	72		
7 5	McLaurin	61		
61	Sumner Hill	7 2		
78	Addison	52		vi .
110	Crystal Springs	77		
74	Rosa Scott	54		
95	Yazoo City	66		
65	Temple	82		
78	Prentiss J. V.	58		
81	Harris High	70		
116	Eva Harris	59		
105	McLaurin	59	TOP.SCORERS	
114	Eva Harris	53	High School	
77	Piney Woods	58		Äv. Pt./Game
66	Addison	57	John Perry	20.1
67	Sumner Hill	58	Freddie Thompson	20.0
68	Prentiss J. V.	62	Levi Stokes	9.7
68	Carter High	7 2	Lewis Brown	9.0
74	Carter High	61	Charlie Richardson	4.8
63	Sumner Hill	64	M. C. Stokes	1.9
95	Harris High	58	Roscoe Lee	1.8
92	Brinkley	99	Earl Joe Nelson, Bullpup Coach	
7 5	Temple	73	Robert Moreland, Bulldog Coach	

UTICA JUNIOR COLLEGE BULLDOGS

Bulldogs		Opponents		
96	Prentiss	77		
93	Coahoma	103		
81	Tougaloo J. V.	7 9		
88	Tougaloo J. V.	93		
92	Natchez	68		
99	City College Rams	86		
100	Selma	86		
9 5	Shorter	77		
88	Prentiss	93		
65	Harris	68		
108	City College Rams	96	College	
108	Prentiss	90		Av. Pt./Game
7 8	Coahoma	79	Booker Young	16.9
101	Coahoma	84	Clarence Sproulls	14.8
121	Selma	81	Bobby Perry	10.5
99	Harris	65	Ben Washington	8.5
72	Mary Holmes	58	Robert Stamps	7.6
97	Natchez	76	Jim Lyons	6.4
81	Mary Holmes	55	James Boston	6.4

THE FORMIDABLE BULLDOG CAPTAIN CLARENCE SPROULLS













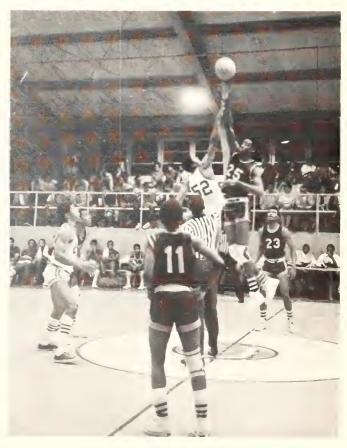
The Mighty Bullpups



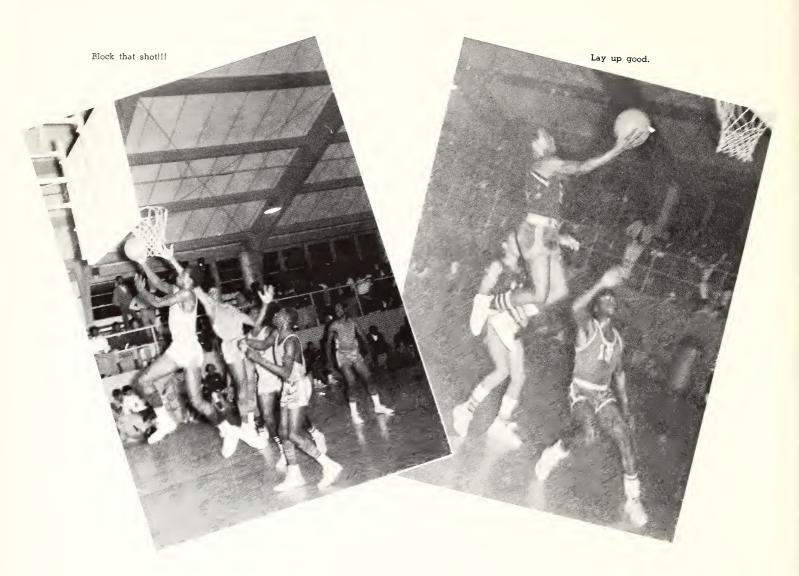
Warm up



Tip in

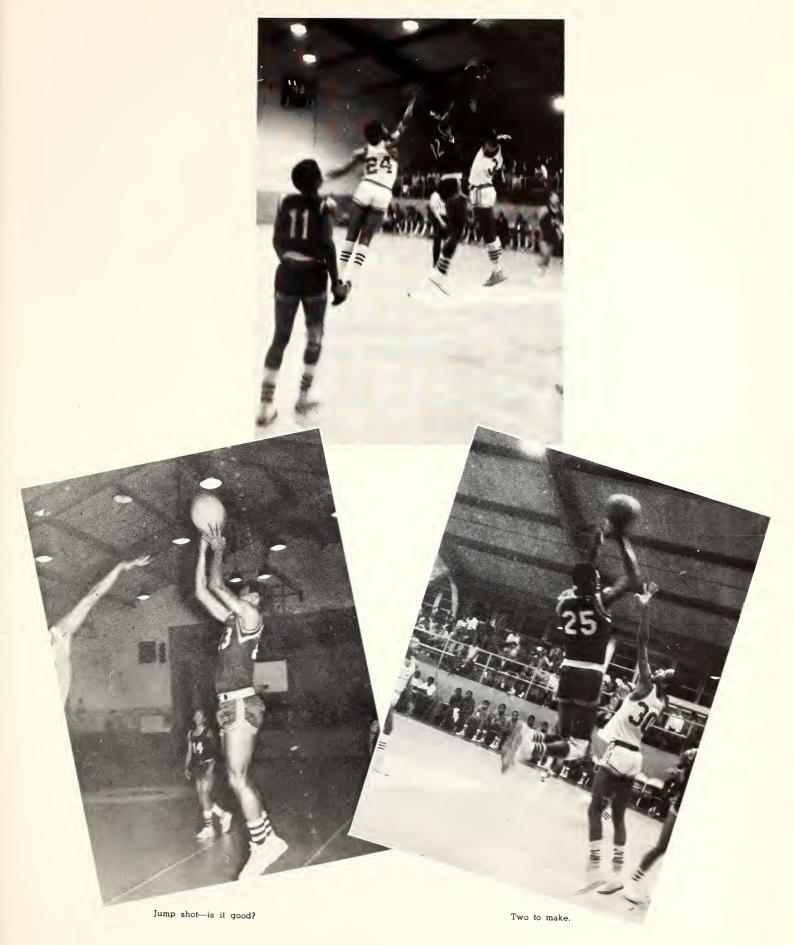


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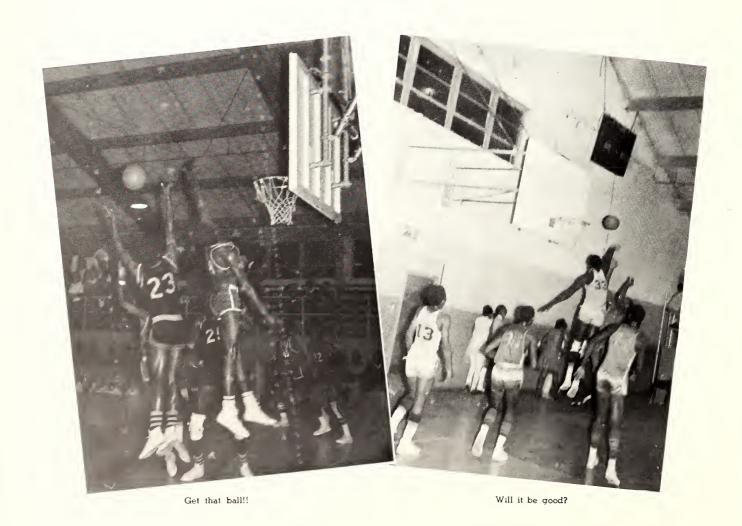
The seniors—on to another level.



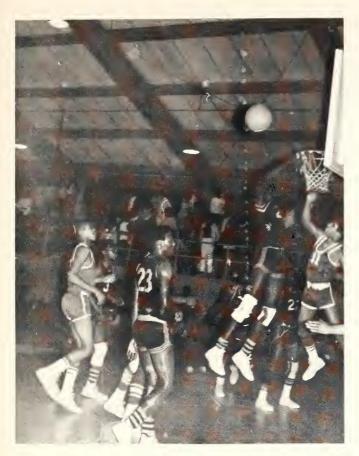




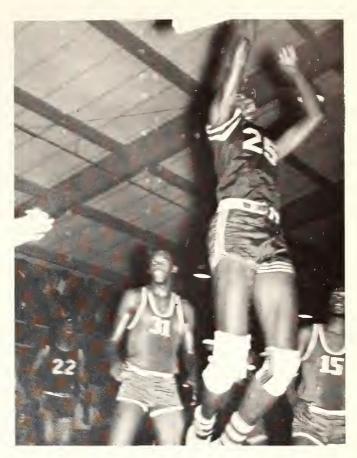
Look at that hook!



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Get the rebound.



A good two.



Eyes on the ball.



THE MIGHTY BULLDOGS



The name of the game is defense.

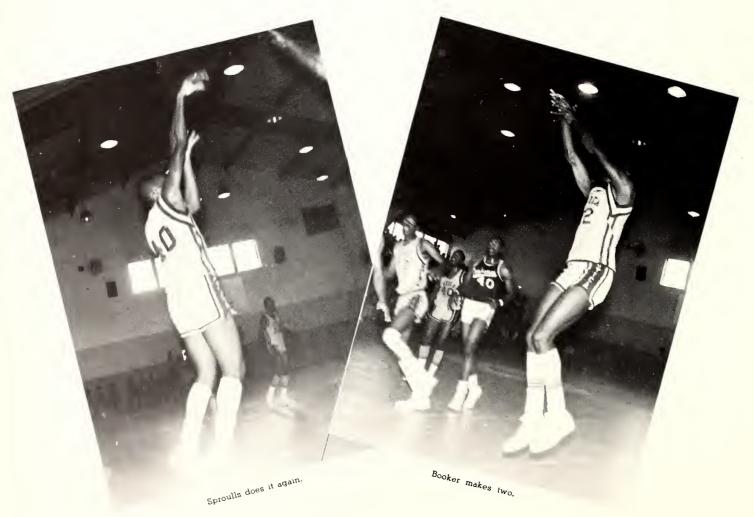


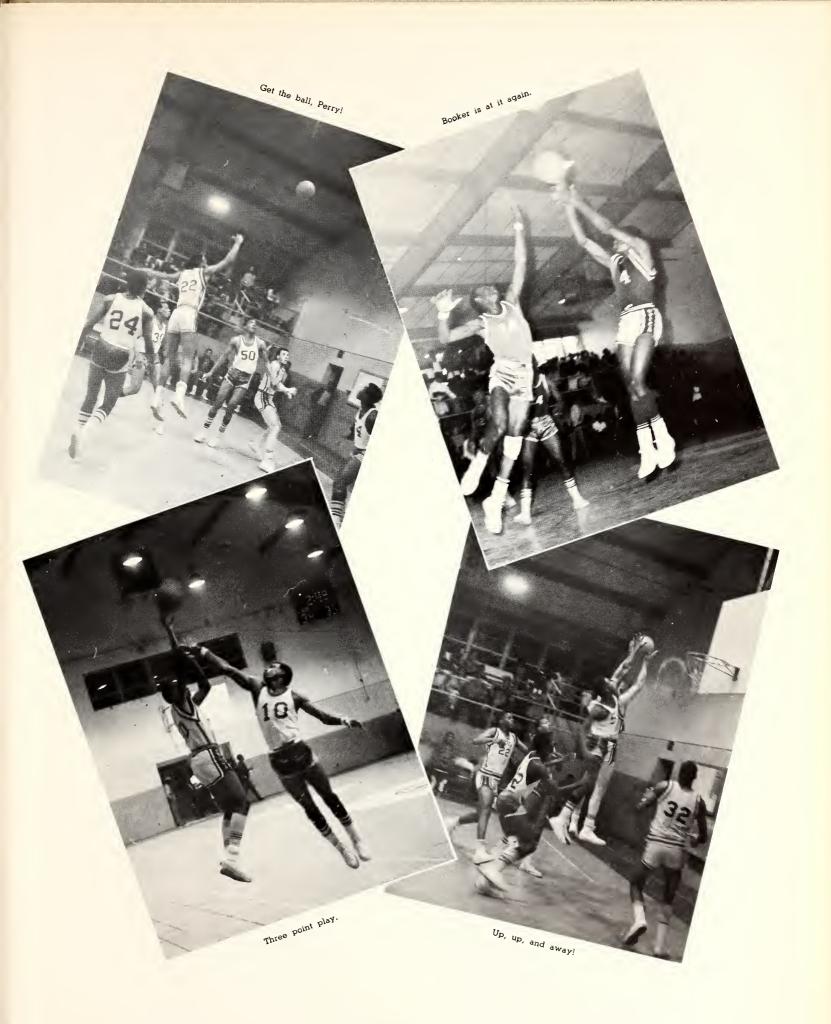
We pause to salute our queen.

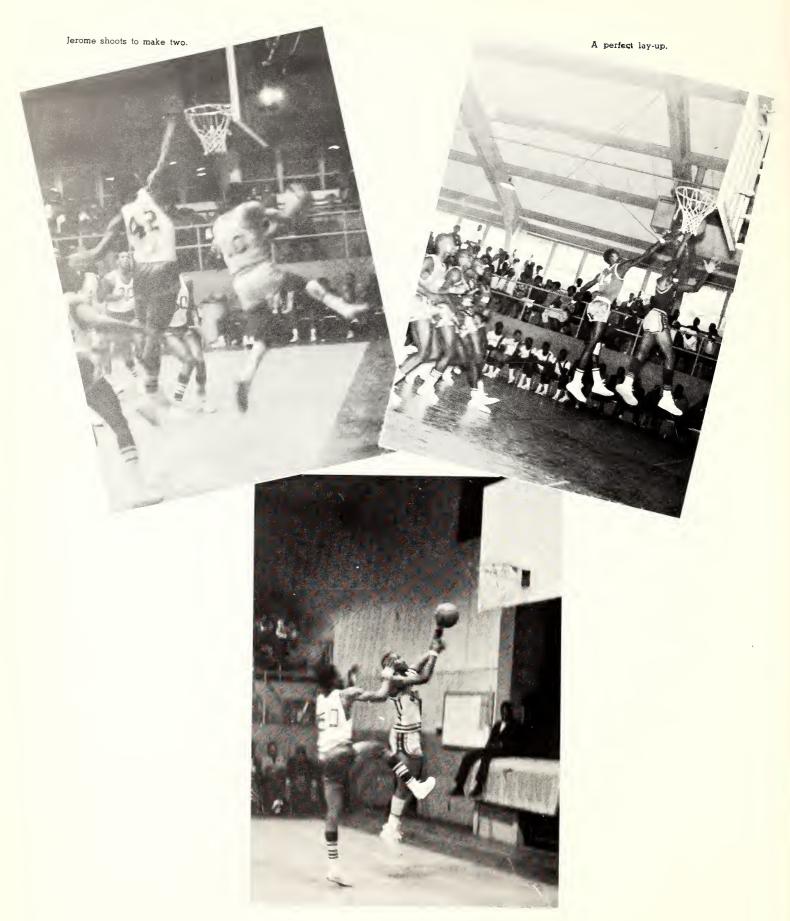


Sproulls scores against Chattanooga before a packed house.

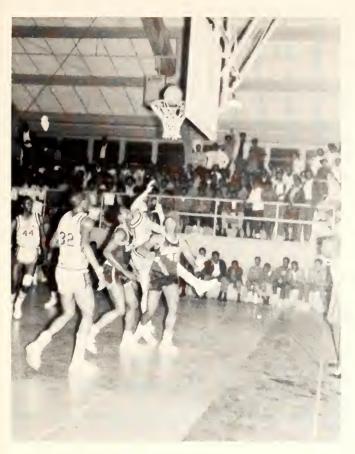








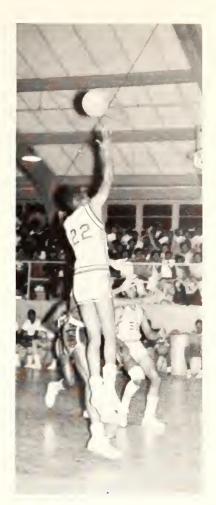
Connors drives for two points.



Wonder will it be good. . .







Ball up--good or not.

Rebound by Curry.



THE UPWARD CLIMB



Are you sure you don't need to pay us a visit?



Exact measurements, huh?



We're the secretaries of tomorrow.



Let us style your wig.



You bend them up, we'll fix them up.



Be truthful, did you really see a molecule?

TO SCHOLARSHIP



Art and the artists.



Machines, machines, and more machines to operate.



We keep physically fit.



We study foreign languages.



A study class in Home Economics.

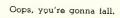


Our teacher helps us in the library, too.





The world of science.











Theory before practice, men.



This definitely won't be a mini!



How about this for depth concentration.



Can you measure up, girls?

HOME AWAY



Here comes Santa



Mary had a baby.



We've come to see the King.



And his helpers.



Merry Xmas, Mr. & Mrs. Washington.

FROM HOME



Psychedelic sounds "sock soul."



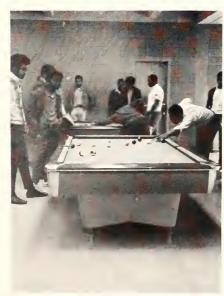
Class waits for no one.



Hold me tight.



Charlie Brown's on.



Eight ball in the side pocket.



What's trumps?



Stepping toward your goal.



Ah-h-h finally.



Last class for today.



"Beneath the shade".



Freedom at last.



"Sing a simple song".



I need help.



Here we come.



We have nothing to do.



Going home is exciting.



Hey, I'm the only one left.

DEVOTION



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Students and Friends,

The Annual Staff has selected the theme, "Stairway to Success", for this year's annual.

During the past twelve years the institution has attempted to climb these starrs step by step. This climb has entailed designing new programs geared to the particular backgrounds of the students the institution serves, enriching the curricula so that students may identify with the subject matter, and employing teacher personnel who are committed to the philosophy of the Junior College and Agricultural High School, which is teaching and learning.

This stair climbing has entailed the planning and building of a new campus. Four new buildings: academic-administration; student union; cafeteria; and vocational-technical center, have just been completed, with the complete plan to include a new library, fine arts building, and perhaps a limited number of dormitories. The vocational-technical center will enable students to go directly into employment, thereby contributing to the skilled manpower pool for the State and Nation.

Utica Junior College is rapidly developing into a strong institution with a special sensitivity and a concern for the culturally different backgrounds of the students it serves.

The members of the Annual Staff have done an excellent job in reflecting the "success climb" at Utica Junior College and I congratulate them for it.

Sincerely yours

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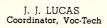
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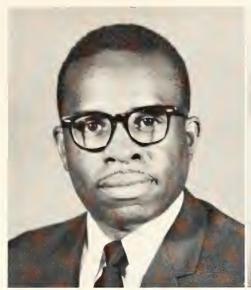


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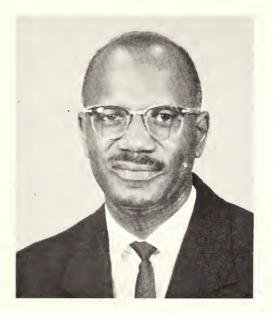
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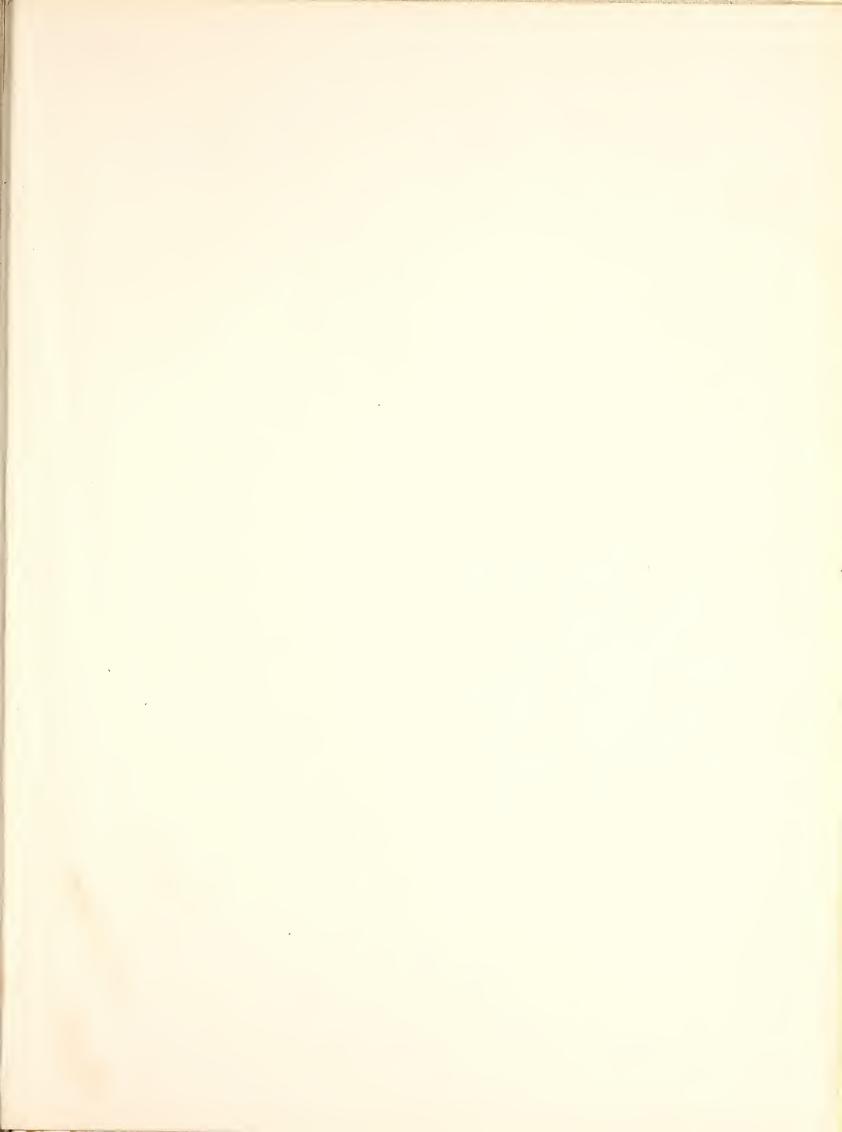
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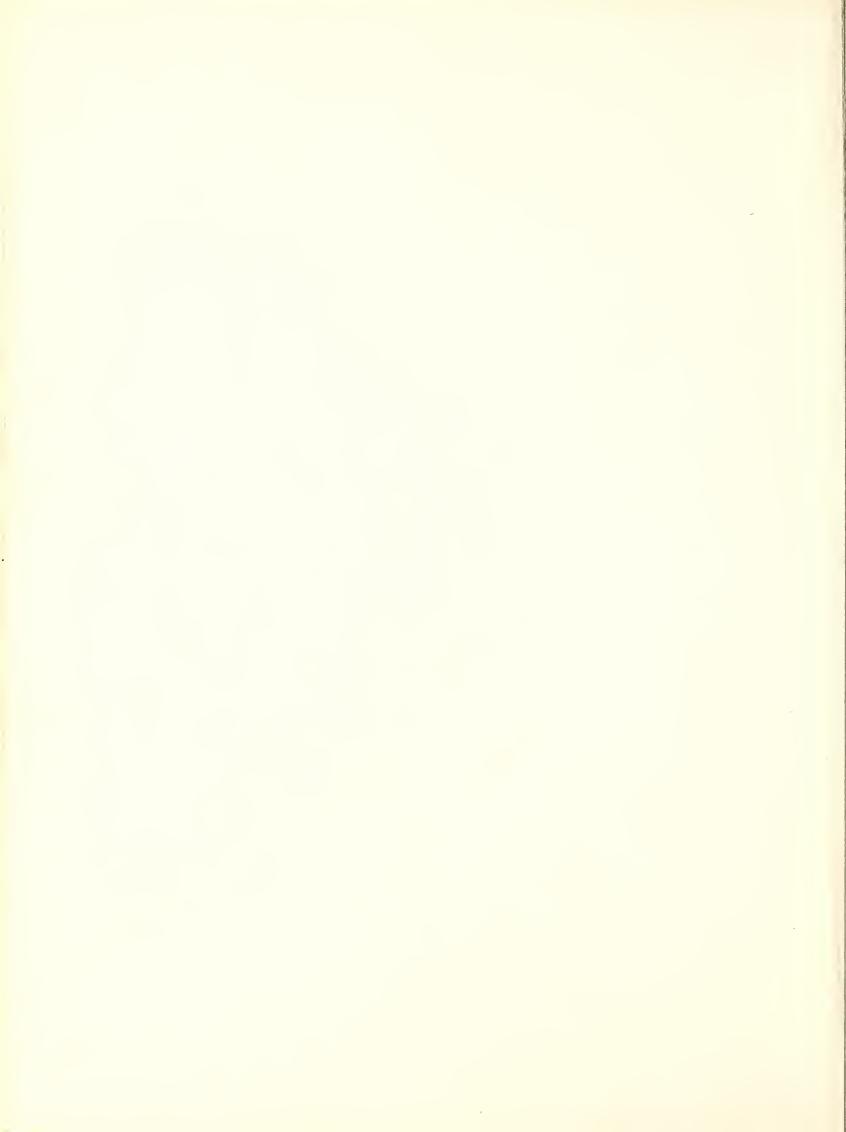
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